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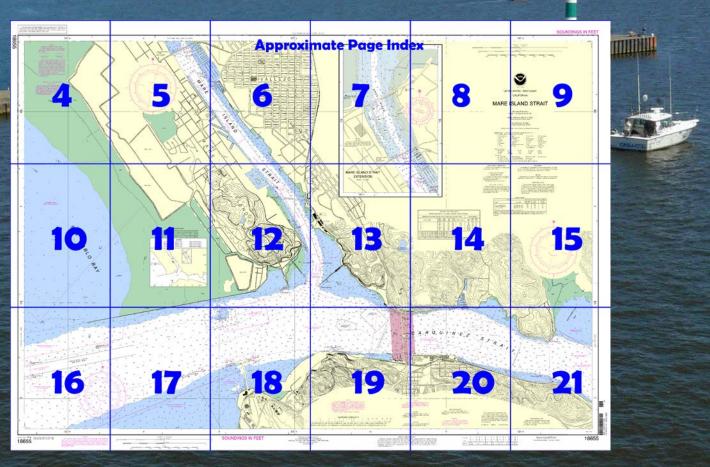
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Mare Island Strait NOAA Chart 18655

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What is a BookletChart[™]?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

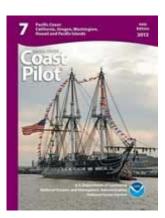
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Notice to Mariners Correction Status

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

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(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)
Mare Island Strait, at the mouth of the
Napa River, is between the mainland
and Mare Island. Vallejo is on the E
side of the strait and the Mare Island
Naval Shipyard is on the W side, about
2 miles above the S entrance. The
project depth for the Mare Island
Strait Channel, from the entrance to
just S of the Vallejo-Mare Island
Causeway Bridge, about 2.9 miles
above the entrance, is 30 feet. (See
Notice to Mariners and latest editions
of charts for controlling depths.)

Notice.—Ships destined for **Mare Island U.S. Naval Shipyard** should await arrival of the Navy pilot at Carquinez Strait. The waters around Mare Island are included in a **restricted area.** (See **334.1100**, chapter 2, for limits and regulations.)

In 2010, shoaling to 14 feet was in the NW corner of Naval Anchorage 21, with shoaling to 5 feet in the adjacent disposal area.

A power cable crossing lower Mare Island Strait between Vallejo and Mare Island has a clearance of 206 feet. If the clearance between the masthead and the cable is less than 10 feet or if the clearance is not known, vessels shall not move under the cable without authority. The entrance to Mare Island Strait is between two dikes. On the E side of the entrance, Dike No. 9 extends about 700 yards SW from the mainland and on the W side, Dike No. 14 extends about 500 yards SE from Mare Island; both dikes have submerged outer sections. Dike No. 9 is marked at the outer end by a light and Dike No. 14 is marked at the outer end by a lighted buoy.

Coast Guard Station Vallejo, about 2.5 miles above the entrance to Mare Island Strait just below the Vallejo-Mare Island causeway lift bridge, is on the E side of the strait.

Vallejo, on the E shore of Mare Island Strait, is the terminal of a railroad connecting interior N points. The shipyard, on the W side of Mare Island Strait, has drydocks and extensive facilities for repairing and building vessels of all sizes. A passenger ferry operates between Vallejo and San Francisco. Two small-craft facilities are also on the E side of the Mare Island strait. (See the small-craft facilities tabulation on chart 18652 for services and supplies available.)

The Vallejo-Mare Island causeway and lift bridge connect Mare Island with the city of Vallejo near the N end of the Naval Shipyard. It has a lift span with a clearance of 100 feet up and 12 feet down. (See 117.1 through 117.59 and 117.169, chapter 2, for drawbridge regulations.) The bridge is equipped with radiotelephone. The bridgetender monitors VHF-FM channel 16 and works on channel 13; voice call, Mare Island Causeway Bridge. Just above Sears Point, 1 mile above Vallejo, a fixed highway bridge with a clearance of 100 feet crosses the strait. A public fishing pier is close S of this bridge and extends about 350 yards from the E side of the strait. A Navy reserve fleet pier is on the W side of the strait between Vallejo-Mare Island causeway lift bridge and the fixed bridge just above Sears Point. If practical, approach the bridges only when running against the current. No passage should be attempted during the periods of peak flood or ebb current.

The **California State Maritime Academy** and pier are in **Morrow Cove**, on the N shore of the W entrance to Carquinez Strait.

Interstate Route 80 fixed highway bridges cross Carquinez Strait near its W entrance at **Semple Point**. The channel on each side of the center pier is 998 feet wide; the least clearance is 146 feet through the N span and 132 feet through the S span. Private sound signals are sounded at the bridge piers and racons are at the center of each span of the E bridge. Power cables cross the strait 0.3 mile W of the highway bridges and 1.2 miles E of it; the minimum clearance is 179 feet.

Crockett, on the S shore just E of the highway bridges, is built around The California and Hawai'ian Sugar Co. Refinery. The refinery's wharf has a 2,715-foot face with 2,815 feet of berthing space with dolphins, and a deck height of 12 feet. A depth of 30 feet is alongside.

A marina is on the S shore just W of the highway bridges, and a small-boat basin is in **Elliot Cove** on the N side of the strait opposite Crockett.

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Corrected through NM Oct. 21/06 Corrected through LNM Oct. 17/06

Fixed and floating obstructions, some submerged, may exist within the magenta tinted pridge construction area. Mariners are advised to oceed with caution.

Note B
High speed ferries operate in the San Francisco Bay. Mariners are cautioned that these craft move very rapidly and may transit waterways at angles to the normal direction of traffic. Ferries may deviate rom these routes if necessary. Mariners should exercise caution when transiting between the the origin or terminus of a charted ferry route and ctual ferry docking facility. Go to www.sfmx.or or additional information on the Ferry Traff

Mercator Projection Scale 1:10,000 at Lat 38° 05'

North American Datum of 1983 (World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FEET AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER

NOTE B CAUTION

Mariners are warned that numerous uncharted piles, snags, pipes, shoals, obstructions and wrecks, some submerged, may exist along the edges of the waterway.

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on rine process marrier with not rely solely on y single aid to navigation, particularly on oating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List nd U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.

Improved channels shown by broken lines are subject to shoaling, particularly at the edges.

SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CABLES

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AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation.

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

NOAA WEATHER RADIO BROADCASTS

The NOAA Weather Radio station listed below provides continuous weather broadcasts. The reception range is typically 20 to 40 nautical miles from the antenna site, but can be as much as 100 nautical miles for stations at high elevations.

Mt. Pise, CA KHB-49 162.40 MHz WX2

PROHIBITED AREA 334.1100

No vessel except those with proper federal authorization shall enter the area within 100 yards of the shore of Mare Island rom the Mare Island - Vallejo Fixed Bridge, around the southened of the island, thence to the northwestern limit of the Navy fard; nor shall vessels approach within 50 yards of any part of the berthing piers at the Navy Yard, including piers 34 and 35 at the south end of the Island.

HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System of 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 0.285' southward and 3.887' westward to agree with this chart.

NOTE A

Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S

Coast Pilot 7. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the Notice to Mariners. Information concerning the
regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander,
11th Coast Guard District in Alameda, California or at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in San Francisco, California.

The outlined areas represent the limits of the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been evaluated for charting. Surveys have been banded in this diagram by date and type of survey. Channels maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and ar not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, United States Coast Pilot.

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Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, Geological Survey, U.S. Coast Guard, and Department of the Navy.

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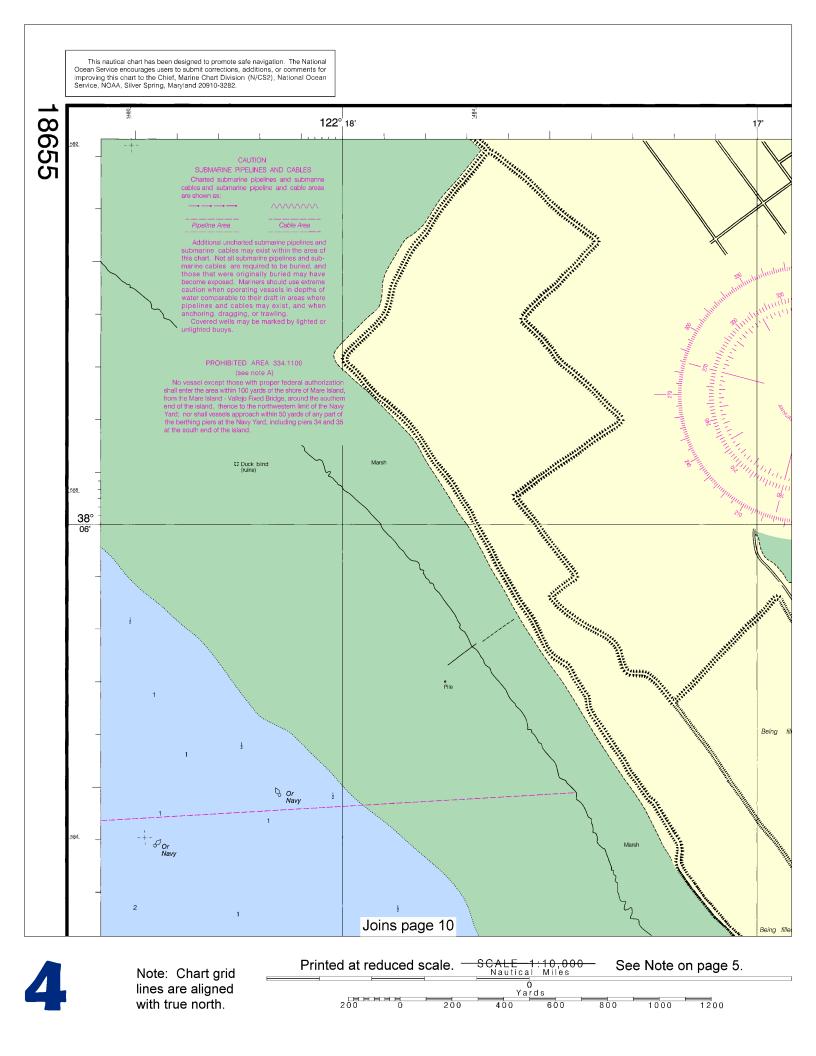
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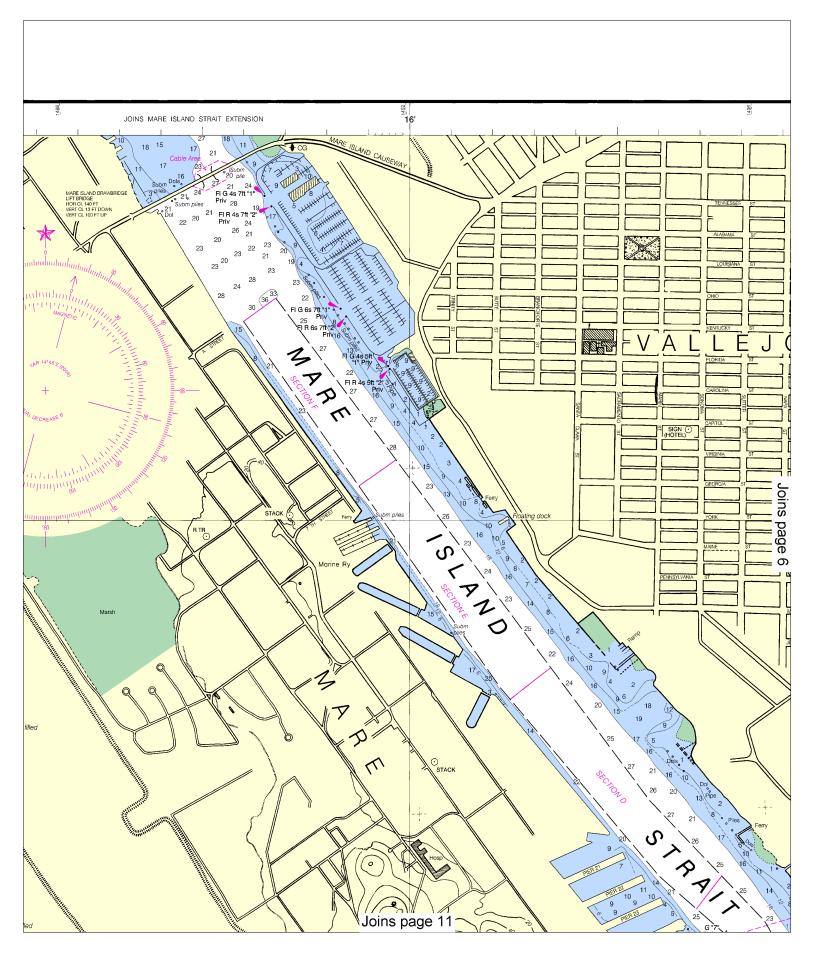
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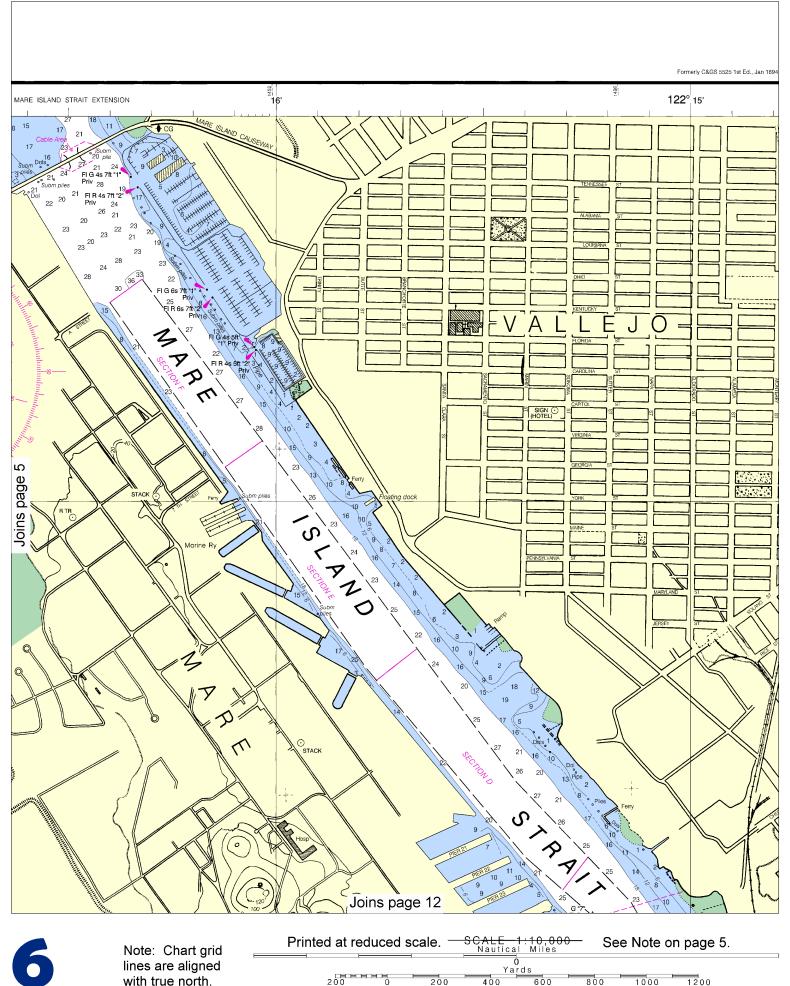
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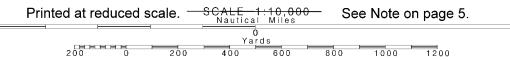
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С	25.0	28.0	29.0	27.0	7-11	400-460	0.6	30
D	24.0	28.0	29.0	29.0	7-11	460-600	0.5	30
E	25.0	29.0	31.0	28.0	7-11	600-525	0.5	30
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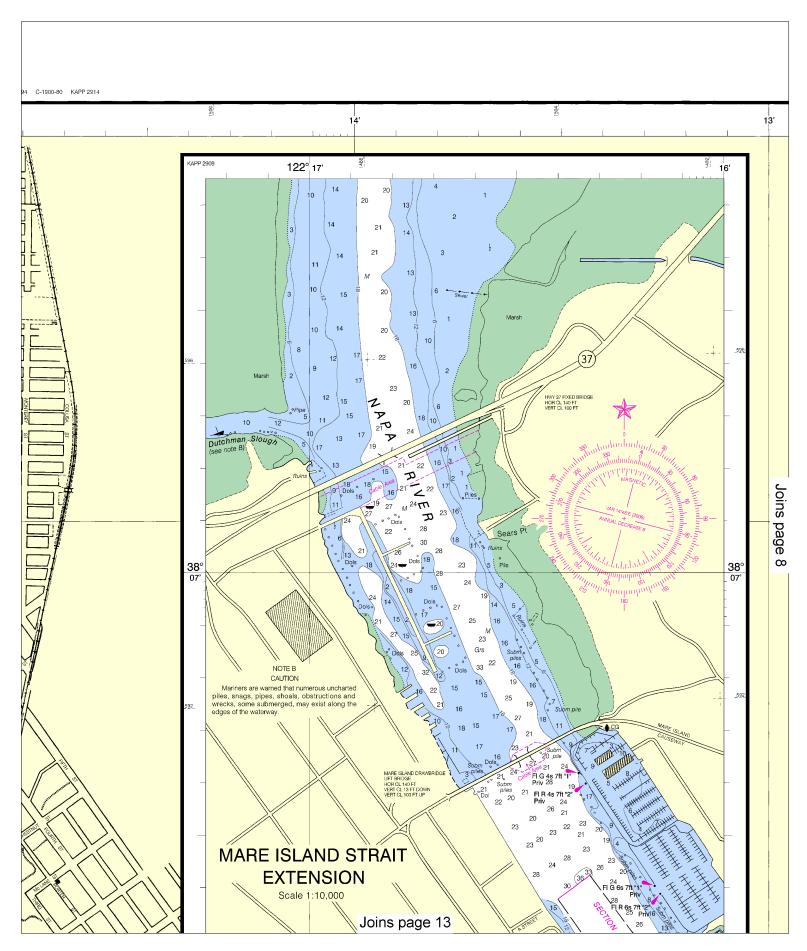


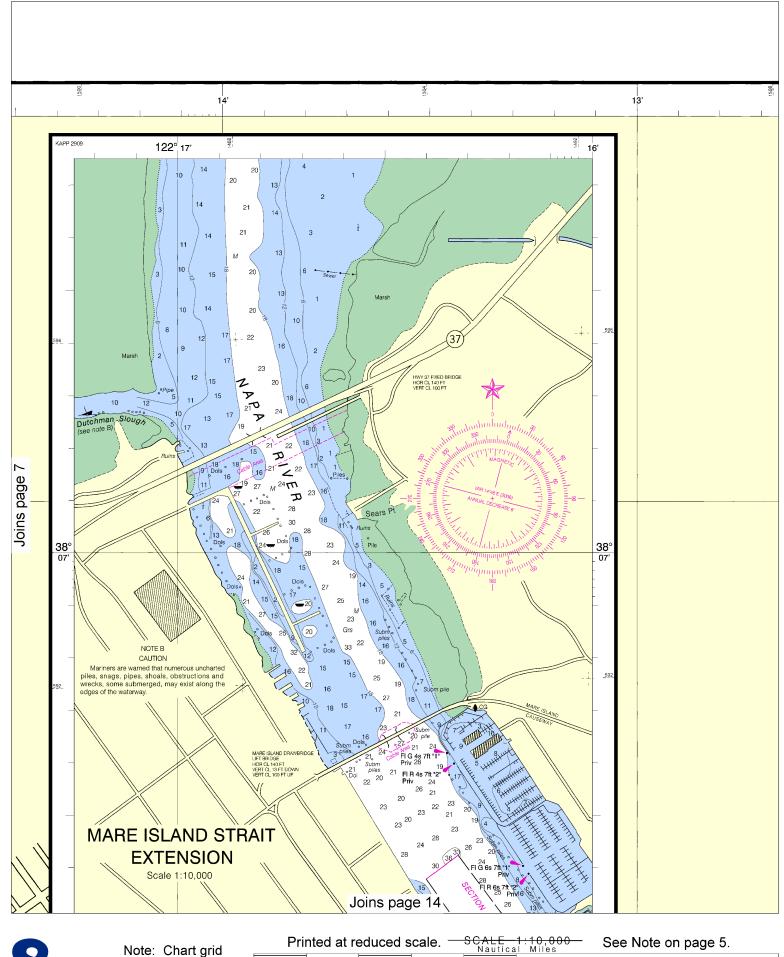




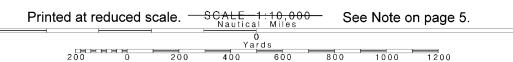
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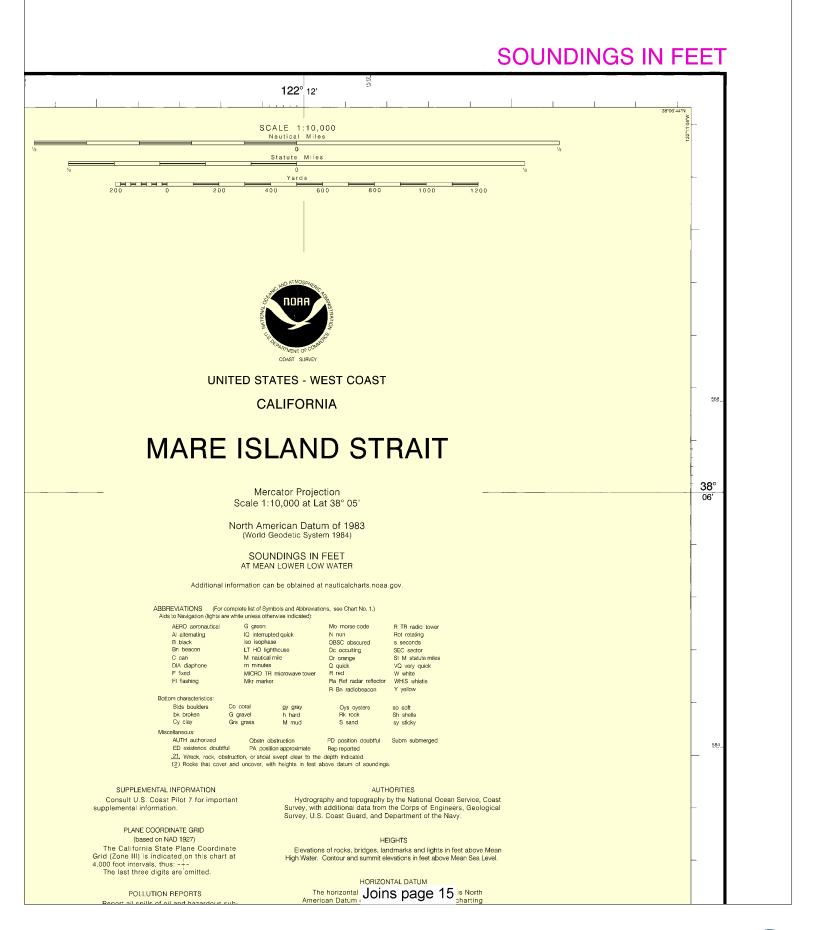




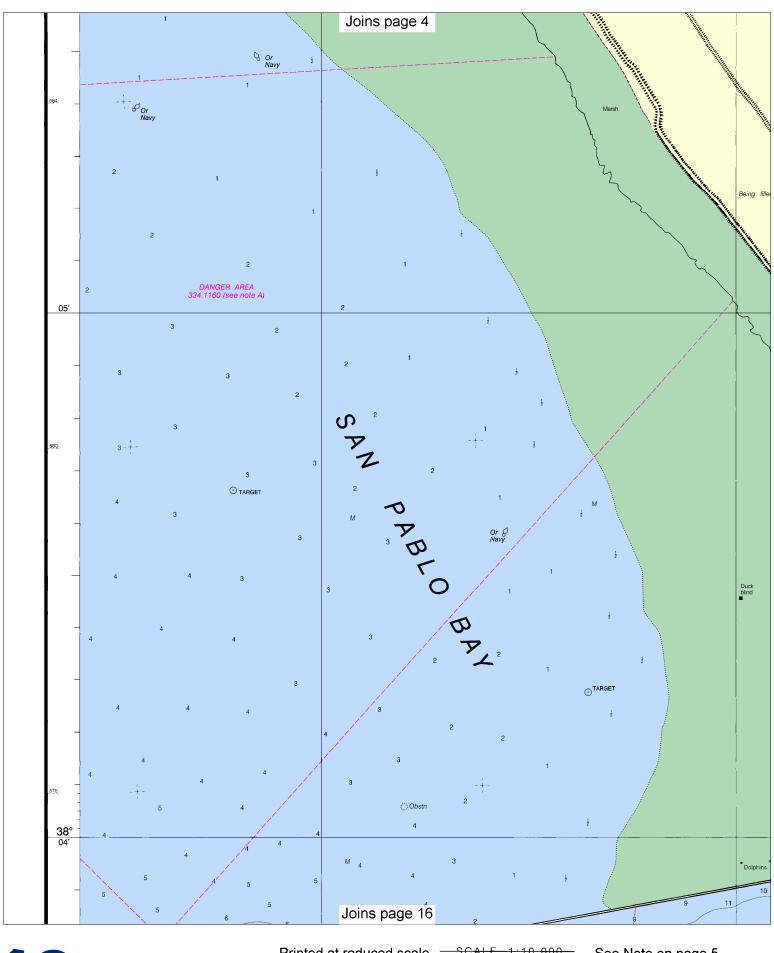


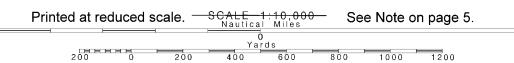


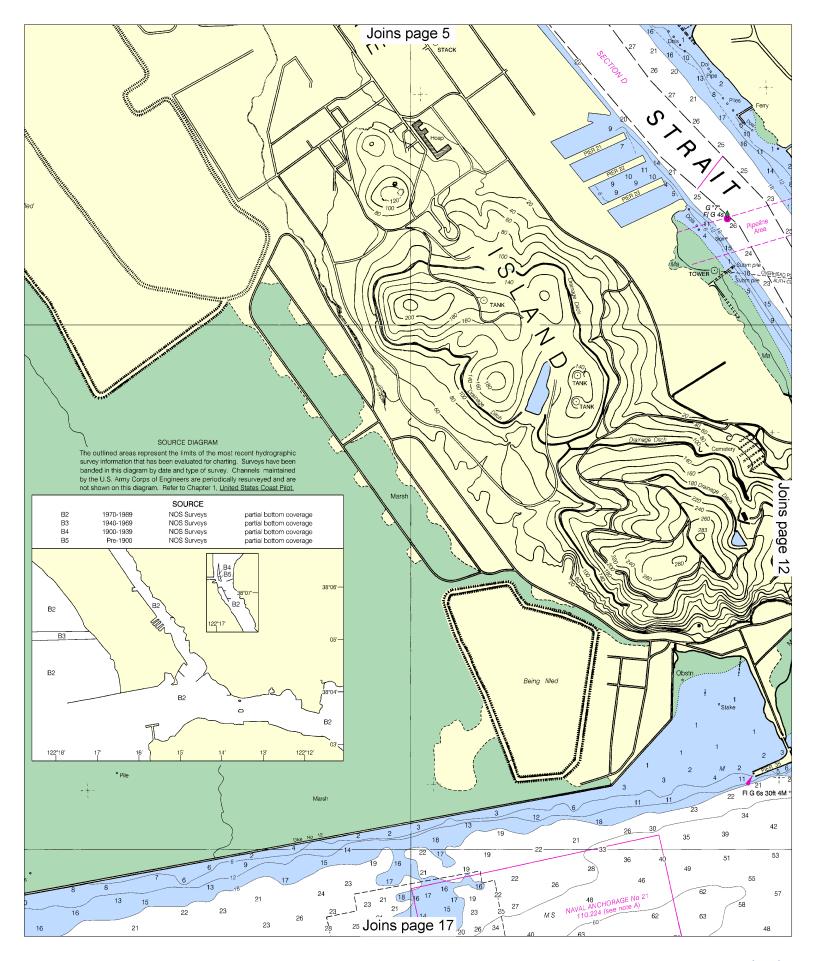


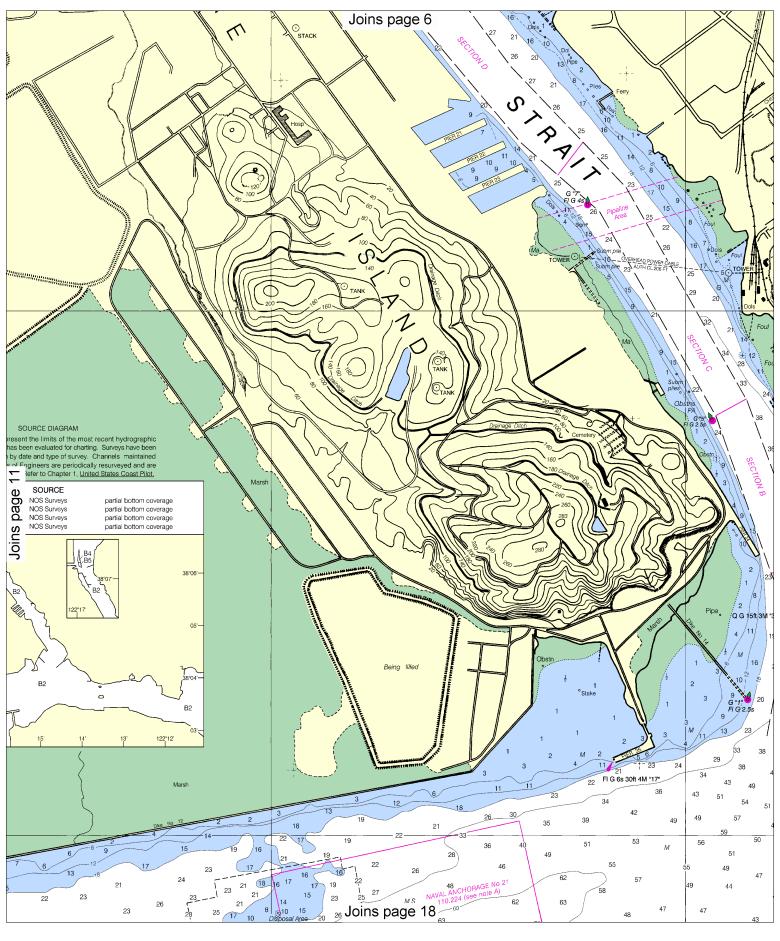


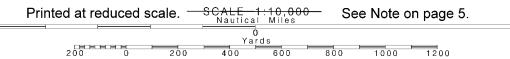


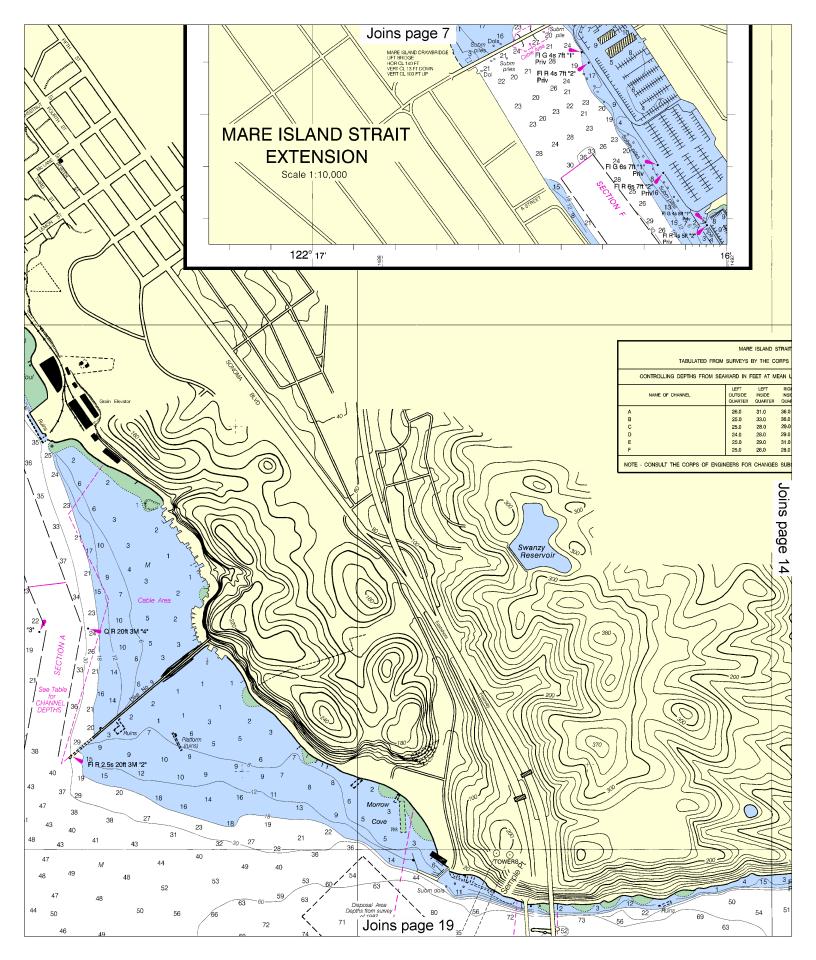


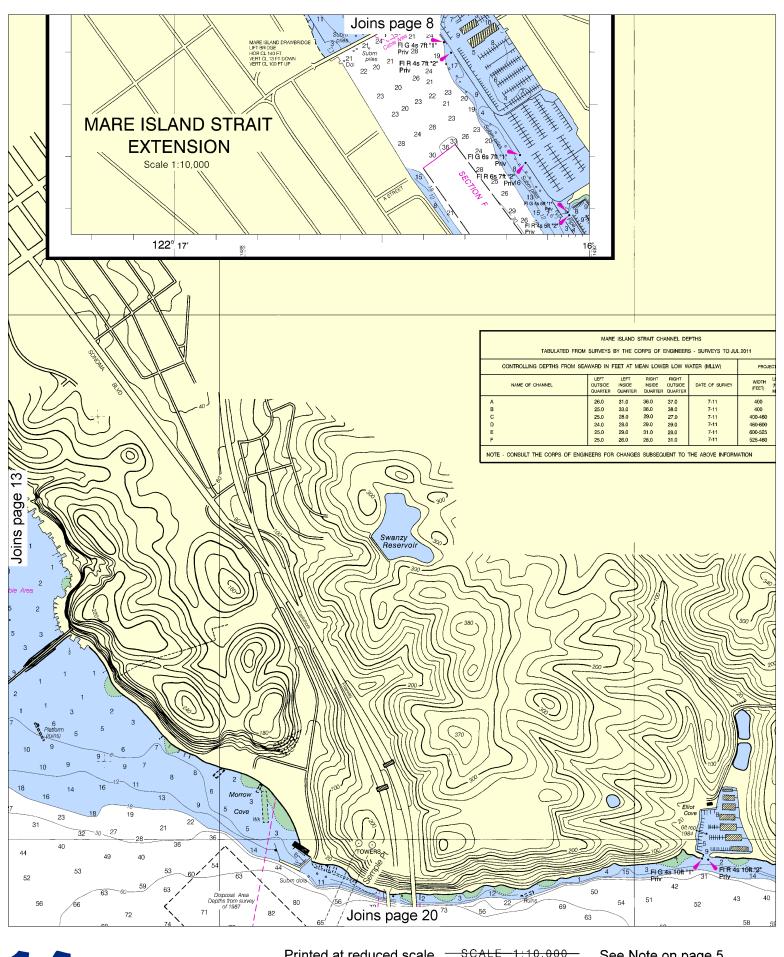


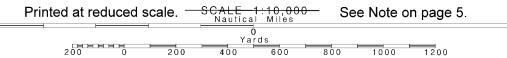


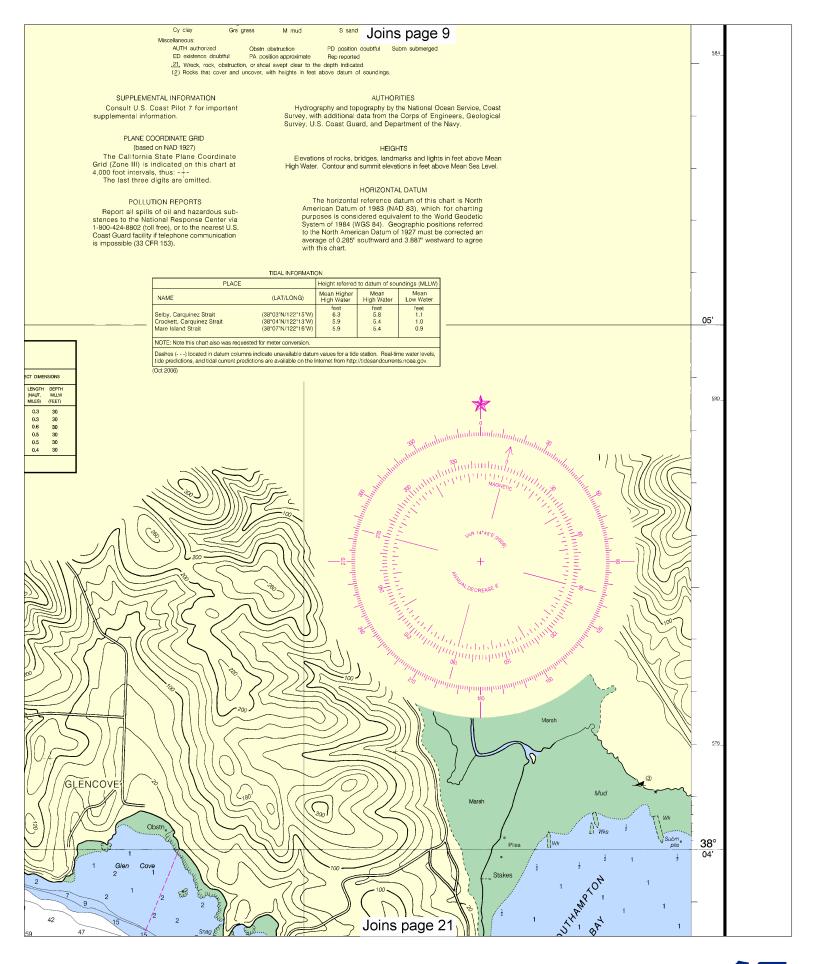


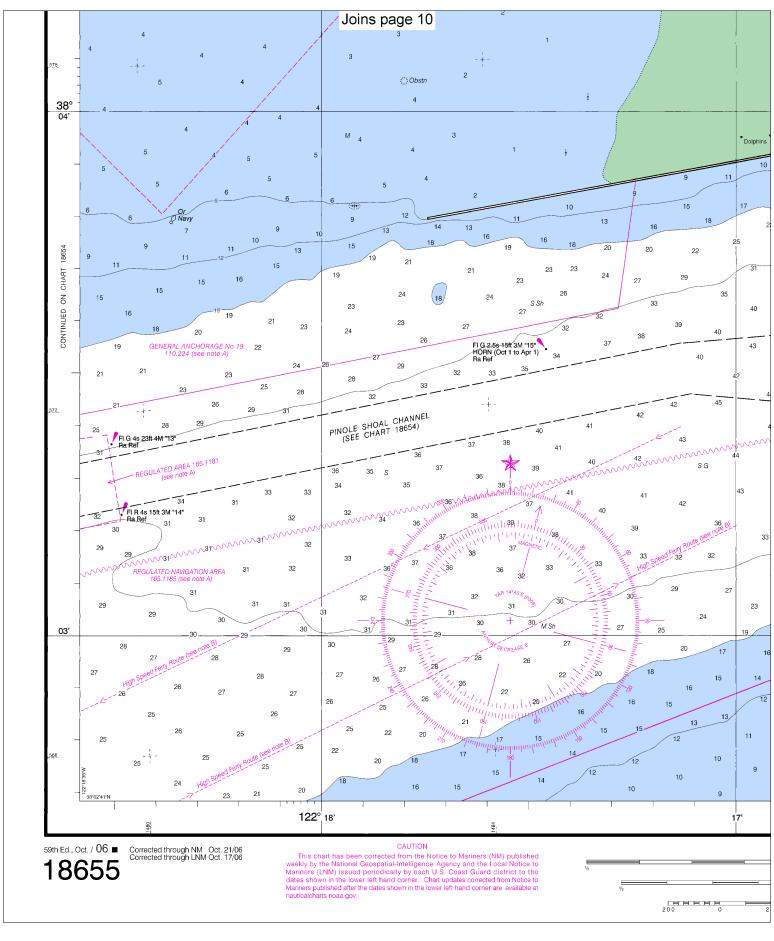


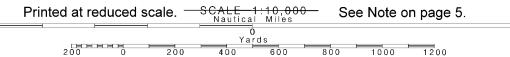


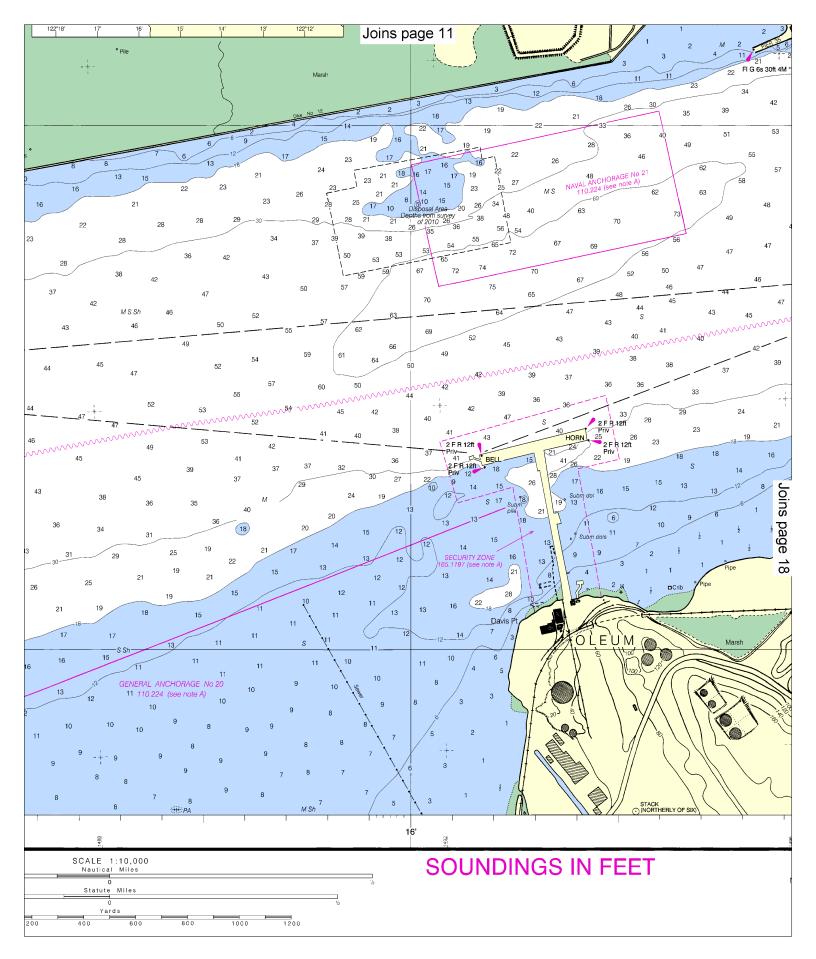


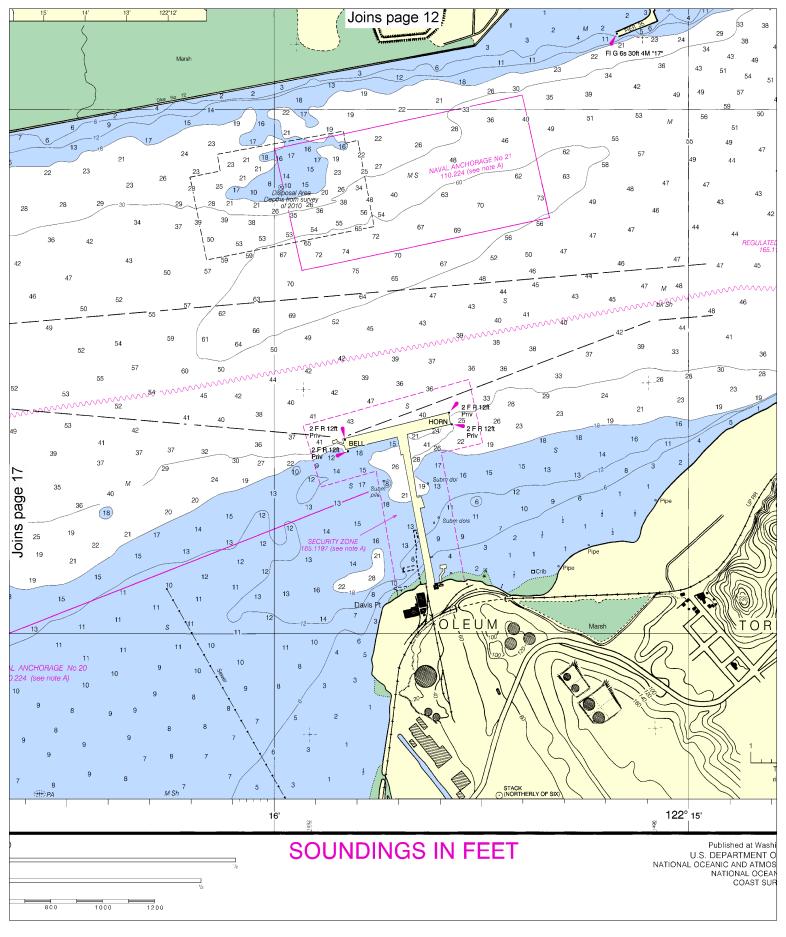


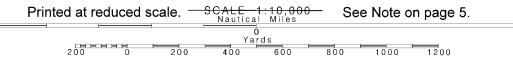


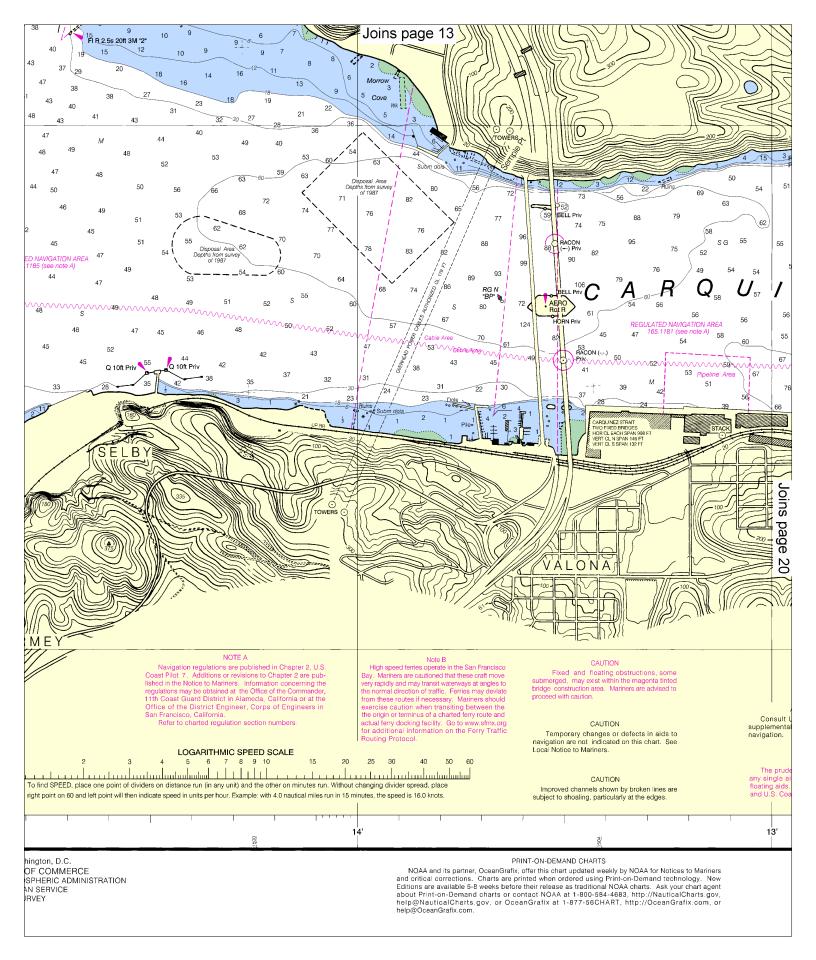


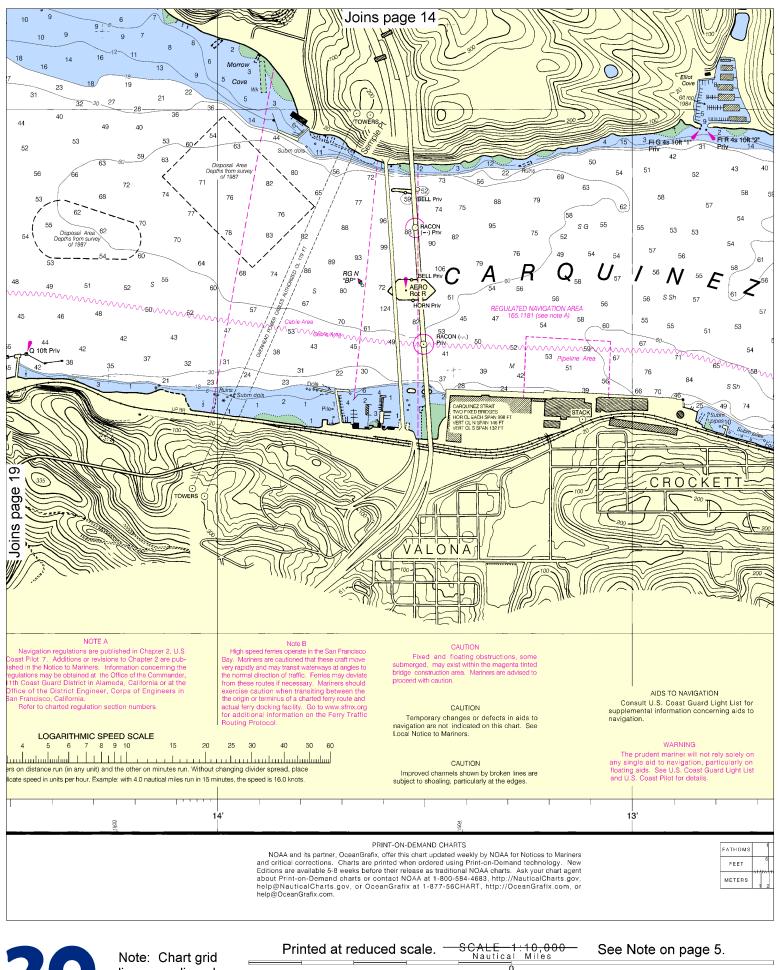




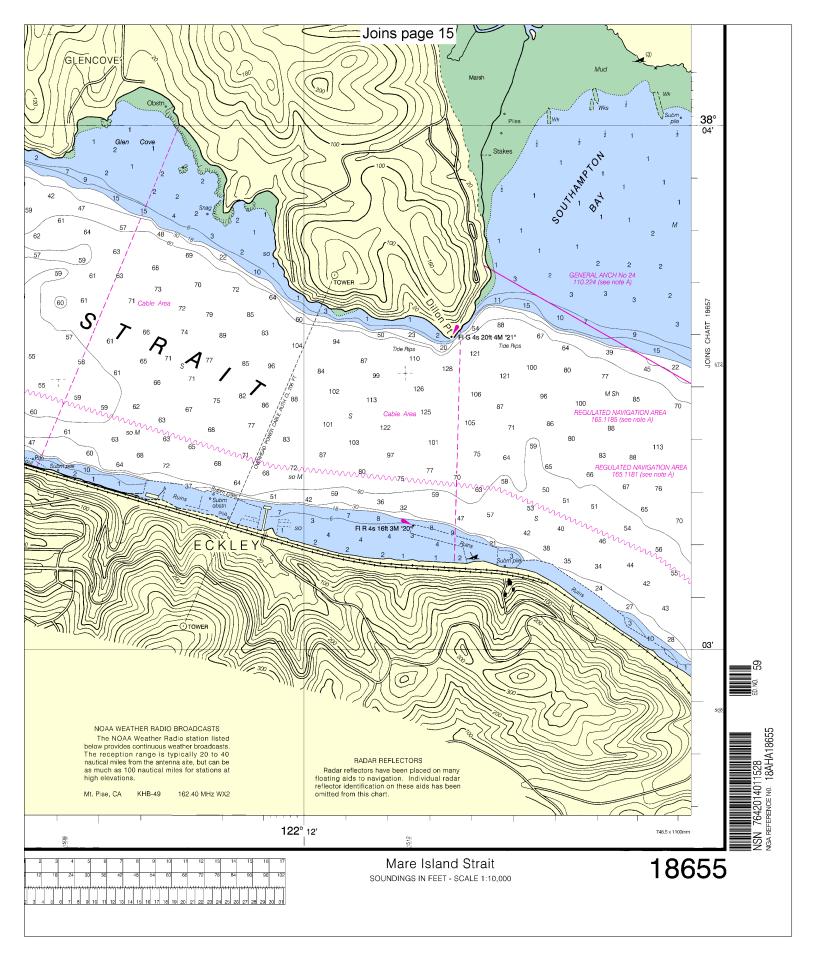








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VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other

vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here. Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Getting and Giving Help — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

Distress Call Procedures

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of

Emergency; Number of People on Board.

- · Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!



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